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**State Route 904 improvement concepts to be presented
at Open House meeting**

The Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) is creating a Route Development Plan for State Route 904 from the City of Cheney to Interstate 90 at the Four Lakes Interchange. As a part of this process, the WSDOT is seeking public input on the preliminary plan.

An Open House is scheduled for Wednesday, April 9, 2003 at the Cheney Middle School, 2716 N. 6th Street in Cheney, from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

State Route 904 is being studied concurrently under two separate projects: The Route Development Plan, sponsored by the WSDOT, will propose long-term alternatives that address corridor design deficiencies. In addition, the Washington State Traffic Safety Commission is sponsoring a Corridor Safety Project analyzing this same section for the purpose of developing an action plan that will examine educational, emergency services, enforcement, and short-term engineering solutions.

Citizens are invited to participate in these studies by attending the open house and commenting on the various proposals. The Department will have a variety of aerial corridor photos, maps, and displays. The project office staff will be on hand to you're your comments and suggestions plus answer any questions. There will be no formal presentation at this Open House so interested citizens are invited to drop by at any time.

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